## **NEWS RELEASE**

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#### LONG BEACH FREEWAY TO BE CLOSED THIS WEEKEND

**LOS ANGELES -** The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close portions of the Long Beach Freeway (I-710) for filming of a simulated accident scene including emergency vehicle and helicopter activities. The closures are as follows:

Friday, March 7 starting at 10 p.m. through Monday March 10 ending at 5 a.m.

• Full weekend freeway closure of the southbound I-710 from Valley Boulevard and the San Bernardino Freeway (I-10).

### Saturday, March 8, from noon to 6 p.m.

• One lane of Hellman Avenue at the overpass of I-710

#### Saturday, March 8, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Intermittent traffic breaks on northbound I-710 from I-10 to Valley Boulevard

#### Saturday, March 8, from 9 p.m. through Sunday, March 9 at 6 a.m.

• Full freeway closure of northbound I-710 from I-10 to Valley Boulevard

#### Sunday, March 9, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

Intermittent traffic breaks on northbound I-710 from I-10 to Valley Boulevard

#### Sunday, March 9, from 9 p.m. through Monday, March 10 at 5 a.m.

• Full freeway closure of northbound I-710 from I-10 to Valley Boulevard

An encroachment permit has been issued by Caltrans for filming on this freeway.

Caltrans advises motorists to "Slow For The Cone Zone."

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